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Spy Pilot Medal

To the Editor of The Inquirer:
What is this business of the Central Intelligence Agency awarding a "secret" medal to Francis Gary Powers, the U2 spy pilot who told the Russians he was "sincerely sorry" he had anything to do with his mission? It now appears that all this was included in his instructions. Shades of James Bond! Where is the U. S. headed? I am glad that Powers has been vindicated, but it all seems so strange! Can't we do things some better way?

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